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- ☒ Specification, claims and abstract of the above-referenced patent application (total of 25 pages)
- ☒ 3 sheet(s) of drawing(s) (☒ formal/ ☐ informal).
- ☒ Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney (signed).
- ☒ An Assignment of the invention to: WMS Gaming Inc.
- ☐ A verified statement claiming small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27.
- ☒ Other (specify): Information Disclosure Statement; Form PTO-1449; references, and Acknowledgment postcard.

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- ☐ Continuation
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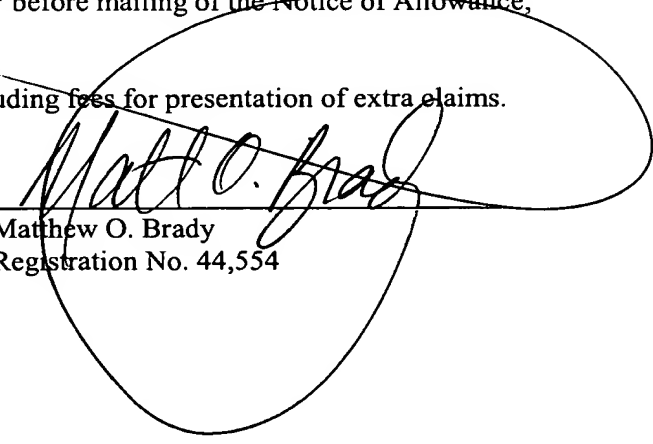
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